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BRYAN RESIGNS SECRETARYSHIP

President Accepts and Retirement Takes Place at Once

PEACE VIEWS CAUSE

Action Followed His Inability to Embody His Principles Concerning Foreign Matters.

Washington, June 9—William Jennings Bryan, three times Democratic candidate for the Presidency of the United States, and author of nearly 30 peace treaties with the principal nations of the world, resigned yesterday as Secretary of State, as a dramatic sequel to his disagreement with President Wilson over the Government's policy toward Germany.

The resignation was accepted by the President. The Cabinet then approved the response which had been prepared to the German reply to the Lusitania note. Acting Secretary Robert Lansing will sign the document and today it will be cabled to Berlin.

The following is Mr. Bryan's communication to President Wilson.

My Dear Mr. President:

It is with sincere regret that I have reached the conclusion that I should return to you the commission of Secretary of State with which you honored me at the beginning of your administration.

Obedient to your sense of duty and actuated by the highest motives, you have prepared for transmission to the German government a note in which I cannot join without violating what I deem to be an obligation to my country, and the issue involved is of such moment that to remain a member of the Cabinet would be as unfair to you as it would be to the cause which is nearest my heart, namely, the prevention of war.

I, therefore, respectfully tender my resignation, to take effect when the note is sent unless you perfer an earlier hour. Alike desirous of reaching a peaceful solution of the problems arising out of the use of submarines against merchantmen, we find ourselves differing irreconcilably as to the methods which should be employed.

It falls to your lot to speak officially for the nation; I consider it to be none the less my duty to endeavor as a private citizen to promote the end which you have in view by means which you do not feel at liberty to use.

In severing the intimate and pleasan relations which have existed between us during the past two years permit me to acknowledge the profound satisfaction which it has given me to be associated with you in the important work which has come before the State Department, and to thank you for the courtesies extended.

With the heartiest good wishes for your personal welfare and for the success of your administration, I am, my dear Mr. President,

Very truly yours,

W. J. BRYAN.

The President's reply was as follows:

My Dear Mr. Bryan:

I accept your resignation only because you insist upon its acceptance, and I accept it with much more than deep regret, with a feeling of personal sorrow. Our two years of close association have been very delightful to me. Our judgements have accorded in practically every matter of official duty and of public policy until now; your support of the work and purpose of the administration has been generous and loyal beyond praise; your devotion to the duties of your great office and your eagerness to take advantage of every great opportunity for service it offered have been an example to the rest of us; you have earned our affectionate admiration and friendship. Even now we are not separated in the object we seek but only in the method by which we seek it.

It is for these reasons my feeling about your retirement from the Secretaryship of State goes so much deeper than regret. I sincerely deplore it. Our objects are the same and we ought to pursue them together. I yield to your desire only because I must and wish to bid you Godspeed in the parting. We shall continue to work for the same causes even when we do not work in the same way.

With affectionate regard, sincerely yours,

WOODROW WILSON,

Promptly following acceptance of Mr. Bryan's resignation Robert Lansing, who has been counselor of the State Department since the retirement of John Bassett Moore, took practical charge of the duties of Secretary of State pending the appointment of a successor to Mr. Bryan, though the latter's resignation does not take effect until the note to Germany is sent. It is believed by many of the President's friends that Mr. Lansing, who is an authority on international law and thoroughly familiar with every detail of the present complicated international situation, will be appointed to the vacant portifolio, which would necessitate the naming of a new counselor.

Robert Lansing, counselor of the State Department, was today formally appointed Secretary of State ad interim.

COURT OF APPEALS.

Wytheville, Va., June 9.—Proceedings in the Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia yesterday were as follows:

Isaacs vs. Isaacs, guardian, argued by B. W Wilson for appellant and W. W. Bird for appellee and submitted; Barker Bond Land Company vs. Whaley, trustee, argued by Donald T. Stant for appellant and H. G. Peters for appellee, and submitted; John A. Witt vs. W. I. Creasy, argued by William Eubank for appellant, and continued until this morning.

Next cases to be called—Grayson Lumber Company vs. Young; United States Spruce Lumber Company vs. Shumate; Fulton vs. Cox; McKinney vs. Trustees and E. and H. College; Norfolk and Western Railway Company vs. Warden.

FALLS BLIND ON HOT NIGHT.

Pittsburgh, June 9.—Prostrated by the heat, George Hulse, aged 30, was stricken blind while walking near his home in Knoxville, late Monday night. Hulse over a year ago had some trouble with his eyes; but through medical aid had fully recovered his sight.

On Monday evening, being oppressed by the heat, Hulse decided he would take a walk to a nearby park. He had just entered Warrington avenue, a few blocks from the park, when he collapsed.

He was picked up by friends and taken home, where it was found that he had been stricken blind. Physicians say he can never again see.

HIS $4 BILLS HIS ERROR

Counterfeiter's Clever Work With Pen Otherwise Perfect

Chicago, June 9—Counterfeit $4 bills have made their appearance in Chicago. Captain Thomas I. Porter, chief of the local Bureau of the Federal Secret Service, was visited yesterday morning by a banker from Batavia, Ill., with six of the counterfeit bills and asked that they be redeemed.

The bills had been raised from $1 to $4 by an expert with pen and brush. The only mistake he had made was that he had made the bogus bill in a $4 denomination. The work was perfect.

The bills were redeemed at $1 each and they were then sent to the Treasury Department.

SHAKES $685 OUT OF WINDOW

Frugal Alien Loses All Her Own and Boarders' Savings

Coatesville, Pa., June 9—Fearing that the United States was going to war with foreign countries, Mrs. Andy Yesko drew $550 earnings of three years out of bank and with $135 more in pay envelopes, belonging to boarders, placed the money under a bolster for safe keeping.

Forgetting that she had hidden the money there, she shook the bolster out of the window today, and the roll of money dropped to the ground and was picked up some passerby who soon disappeared.

PRESIDENT'S FIRM NOTE TO GERMANY

Unfavorable Reply May Result in Severance of Relations

WILL BE SENT TODAY.

Acceptance of Bryan's Resignation Spreads Impression That President is Determined.

Washington, June 9—Facing the greatest crisis in the history of the United States, President Wilson stands firm today on a policy of no surrender of American rights.

No matter what the cost, he is prepared to emphasize the doctrine of protection for Americans wherever they may go. The resignation of Secretary Bryan from the Cabinet has solidified the Administration.

Developments proceeded rapidly today in connection with the dispatch of the German note which caused the resignation of Mr. Bryan.

Completely coded, the note is ready to be sent to Behlin before night fall. Affixed to it is the name of Acting Secretary Robert Lansing. The full statement promised by Mr. Bryan in explanation of his withdrawal from the Cabinet is momentarily expected.

Washington, June 9—The policy of the United States toward Germany—an insistence on the observance of neutral rights and the safeguarding of the lives of Americans on the high seas— was determined finally yesterday at a Cabinet discussion.

Secretary Bryan's resignation had been submitted and accepted when the meeting convened, and he took little part in the discussion. The note, which is to be sent to Germany today was read over for the last time to the Cabinet by President Wilson. Suggestions of some minor changes were noted by the President.

The resignation of Mr. Bryan, who advocated a course that under no circumstances would involve the United States in war, spread the impression that the President and his Cabinet had decided firmly that the rights of the United States must be upheld in any eventuality that may arise. While no intimation of the contents of the note was given, it is understood an unfavorable reply will mean the severance of diplomatic relations with Germany, and that attacks on Americans thereafter might lead even to greater complications.

The effect of the general situation of Secretary Bryan's withdrawal from the Cabinet was a subject of comment everywhere. Foreign diplomatists interpreted it as significant of a forceful course on the part of the United States. They were busy with their code books and cablegrams last night advising their respective governments of the Cabinet's change and its significance.

In Austro-German quarters, where there has been some confidence that Secretary Bryan's stand for peace would make impossible a rupture between the United States and Germany, the resignation of the secretary caused much uneasiness.

In other official and diplomatic quarters the view was held that by accepting the resignation of Mr. Bryan the President had demonstrated to Germany his earnest intention of securing, reparation for the loss of American lives on the Lusitania and a guarantee against other violations of American rights. Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, called on Counselor Lansing early in the day to inform him that, although the embassy quarters had been removed to Cedarhurst, L. I., he would remain here indefinitely to await a copy of the American note. Later in the day Mr. Lansing announced the German embassy had transmitted two more affidavits of two persons who claimed to have overheard persons say there were guns on the Lusitania. Mr. Lansing said the affidavits were regarded as unimportant by the Department of Justice, and decided there were no guns on the Lusitania.

The President emphasized to callers there had been no intentional delay in preparing the German note. He said many suggestions had been made by Mr. Bryan and others, but that the general character of the note had not been modified. This was interpreted after as meaning that the Cabinet situation had been disposed of last week, and that the delay subsequent thereto was really due to details in the careful preparation of the phraseology of the note.

DEFIANT AS TO LUSITANIA

German Asserts Right to Torpedo, and Wants No Lecture

Amsterdam, June 9.—George Bernhard, writing in The Vossische Zeitung, says:

"It appears as if America will shirk the obligation to discuss with us preliminary questions concerning the character of the Cunard Line Steamship Lusitania. Whether this British ship had weapons and ammunition on board seems to President Wilson to be less important than to learn from us what we think of the prosecution of a submarine war.

"We confidently hope that our Government will have nothing to do with such distortion of facts. If President Wilson wants a decisive answer from us it cannot be other than that the Lusitania was a British ship with contraband war material, to torpedo which we had an absolute right within the war zone.

"We cannot allow ourselves to be lectured even by the United States on this right which we exercise in self protection.

JAIL FOR ODD HOMICIDE

White Man Killed Another for Bowing to Negress.

Norristown, Pa., June 9—For causing the death of John Beatty last November John J. Monahan, of Lamott, was found guilty of involuntary manslaughter yesterday, and Judge Swartz sentenced him to one year and three months in jail. In March Monahan was acquitted of manslaughter, whereupon the District Attorney, at the instance of Judge Swartz, indicted him with the charge of which he was convicted.

Monahan and Beatty quarreled over the appropriateness of a white man tipping his hat to a negress, as Beatty did, and Monahan struck Beatty causing him to fall and fracture his skull.

SNAPPERS GRIP BARE FEET.

Big Turtles Seize Man When he Seeks Ham in Smokehouse.

Ellendale, Del., June 9.—When Walter Millman walked barefooted into his smokehouse Monday morning to slice a ham for breakfast something that felt like two iron clamps fastened to his feet without warning. His screams brought other members of the family to his aid, and for nearly an hour they worked, until finally they had pried loose two huge snapping turtles.

James Millman, a brother, had captured several large snappers and, for safe-keeping, had confined them in the smokehouse, neglecting to inform the rest of the family.

AUTO CATCHES FUGITIVE.

Flying Train No Match for Chief Speeding on Pike.

Scranton, Pa., June 9.—After a mad race, covering 18 miles, between an express train on the Laurel Line and a high-powered automobile, which had been requisitioned by Chief of Police Roberts, of Wilkes-Barre, the latter captured a man accused of slim-flaming a Wilkes-Barrean, as he stepped from the train in this city.

The fugitive got away with a 10-minute start; but the big racing car cut down the running time, and the officers were waiting at the station here for their man, who was taken back to Wilkes-Barre.

The running time of the train was 35 minutes, and the automobile traveled a little over a mile a minute to overhaul it.

WANTED—Bicycle with coaster brake and in good condition. Address by letter or card, stating price and condition. C. E. B. 501 Wolfe street. 9-3t.

LICENSE BILL FOR THE YEAR

But Little Change in the Ordinance From That of Last Year

APPROPRIATION BILL

Council Holds Long Session, But Most Business Transacted Was of a General Nature.

The Common Council at its meeting last night passed a resolution providing $2,100 for the paving with tar macadam of six blocks on Queen street, between Washington and West, but it was laid over by the Aldermen. The board considered a number of resolutions of importance to the city. In the Common Council the annual appropriation bill, carrying appropriations of $175,000 for the expenses of the city for the fiscal year commencing June 1st, was passed. It was explained by Captain Bryan, chairman of the finance committee, that it would be necessary to make a number of subsequent appropriations, as the bill carried no money for the operation of the public schools or for lighting, police or fire protection for the new territory. Council decided to invite Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons to lay the cornerstone of the new high school building at such time as fixed by the school board.

The annual license bill was passed by the lower board and laid over by the Aldermen. There are practically no changes in the bill as adopted last year.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

There was no discussion in the Board of Aldermen last night in connection with the business presented, and most of the time was spent in recess while waiting for papers from the lower board.

The license law and the appropriation bill were read the second time, after having been received from the Common Council, and laid over until the next meeting.

A resolution appropriating $2,100 for improving Queen street was also received from the lower board and laid over, as was a petition from the Alexandria Garage Company for permission to place a gasoline tank on the sidewalk in front of their premises on the east side of Fairfax street, between King and Prince. This action was taken after Mr. Wilkins had stated that a citizen residing near the garage was opposed to the erection of a tank.

The Aldermen concurred in the action of the lower board on the other papers sent in.

Common Council.

There were 13 members of the Common Council present last night, Messrs. Harrison, Marshall and Bendheim being the ones absent.

As soon as Council convened Mr. A. J. Pohl, who was elected a member from the Third ward at the last meeting, was sworn in, and the president assigned him to the committees on light and police.

The annual appropriation bill, carrying a total of $175,000, was taken up and passed. There is a reduction of nearly $22,000 from the appropriation bill of last year. Among the items was $5,000 for the new hospital, $300 for the Old Folks' Home, $150 for the Kindergarten, and $150 for the Children's Home.

The next business taken up was the license law. This showed a number of changes over last year, having been arranged by John M. Johnson, to follow the state law. Among the new licenses required are building and loan associations, $50. mercantile agencies, $50, architects, $5. The license on loan offices making loans on goods, chattels and salaries was increased from $50.00 to $100.00. The license on vegetable peddlers had been changed in form, but not in amount.

Mr. Brumback did not think that the new form was as strict as the old form, and moved that the old form be substituted. After a brief discussion this was done.

A law providing for a tax of $2. on each automobile carrying not more than 2 people and a tax of $5. for those carrying more than 2 had been inserted. This was opposed by Mr. C. S. T. Burke, Mr. Lawler and Mr Brumback, and was stricken out, as was the tax on motor trucks.

Council, however, allowed the tax of $2.50 to remain on motor cycles. The law was subsequently passed.

On motion of Mr. Wattles Council invited Alexandria Washington Lodge of Masons to officiate at the laying of the cornerstone of the new high school building.

Mr. Brumback offered a resolution directing the committees on finance and general laws to employ counsel to look into the matter of the taxes in the recently annexed territory. The Auditor of Public Accounts has directed the county to assess and collect these taxes for the ensuing year, andi n the opinion of Mr. Brumback the annexation decree clearly gives this to the city. The resolution was adopted.

The Mayor forwarded to Council a letter from W. D. Duke, of the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railway, in regard to the lights on upper King street. Mr. Duke said that at present his company was furnishing the current for these lights, and he believed that they should be taken over by the city. This was sent to the committee on light.

The Alexandria Water Company was requested to furnish Council at its next regular meeting with information as to what arrangements have been made or are being made to furnish water for fires, and the use of citizens in the recently annexed territory, particularly that section laying above the level of the reservoir.

The other busines, which was of a general nature, will be found in the official proceedings.

POPE LOOKS TO AMERICA.

Rome, June 9.—"I stand ready now or at any future time to co-operate with President Wilson in any move that is destined to bring about European peace," said Pope Benedict XV yesterday, when giving an audience to Miss Jane Addams, of Chicago, and Dr. Aletta Jacobs, of Holland, who, as representatives of the Women's Peace Conference, were given an audience by the pontiff yesterday.

"I realize that the whole world is looking to the Vatican to take the initiative in peace, but I believe that the movement must originate in America, which is the greatest neutral power in the world, and which, up to this time, has maintained a high standard of strict neutrality. I feel that it is only the matter of great national pride that prevents an early peace."

The Pope asked Miss Addams a number of questions concerning the attitude toward peace in a number of the warring countries which she already has visited.

Shot by His Father.

Philadelphia, June 9.—With a bullet in his back, fired by his aged father, Thomas McNulty, 42 years old, a grocer, of No. 231 Morris St., Gloucester, was hurried to Cooper Hospital, Camden, last night, with no chance of recovery from the injury. Patrick McNulty, the father, 70 years old, tried after the shooting to cut his throat with a butcher knife, but was restrained and locked up. He had acted strangely of late, and is supposed to have been laboring under some hallucination when he fired upon his son.

NOTICE.

I have purchased for the season the hotel belonging to W. E. Dixon, near Marshall Hall, Md., and will take in summer boarders by the day or week and will also furnish country meals to transient boarders.

8-1wk. MRS. C. A. PAUL.

IN MEMORIAM.

In sad but loving remembrance of my dear father, GOTTLIEB KICHERER, who died seven years ago today, June 9th, 1908.

By his devoted daughter, Mrs. Kate Simpson.

GERMANS CANNOT RESIST FRENCH

Joffre's Troops Said to be Pushing Steadily on to Lens

ONRUSH OF ALLIES

Fierce Trench-to-Trench Fights—Kaiser's Line of Communication Reported to be Threatened.

Northern France, June 9.—While the British and French and Belgians are holding the Germans firmly in check in Flanders the French are battering their lines in Artois. For weeks they have been fiercely fighting their way to Lens and Vimy; fighting heroically, though every yard of ground is strongly fortified and stubbornly defended. But the French are pushing the Germans out of position after position, driving them back with bomb and bayonet.

The ground they have carried is strewn with German bodies, for the Germans had no time to bury thier dead.

The Germans are offering stout resistance, because they know the vital point of their line of communications is seriously menaced.

The army under Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria has been strongly reinforced with some of the finest troops, and frantic efforts are being made to stay the French advance.

The chief storm center is the sugar refinery on the road between Ablain, now in the hands of the French, and the ruined village of Souchez, which Germans still hold. So long as the French hold the refinery their possession of Ablain is secure and the way is open for a direct attack on Souchez.

The position is one of considerable strategical importance. The Germans made great efforts to recover it.

Ablain is the objective of the violent attacks the Germans launched during the week-end on the eastern slopes of Notre Dame de Lorette. These attacks were preceded by heavy artillery fire, but everywhere the Germans were driven off with enormous loss.

The French now are making themselves secure in the newly acquired position, preparatory to further advance on the lines further south.

The French infantry is covering itself with glory in the furious hand-to-hand encounters in the village of Neuville St. Vaast and the Labyrinth, southeast of it. In the ruined village they are driving the Germans out by a house-to-house campaign. The greater part of the village now is in their hands.

When once they have established a footing in the Labyrinth, the network of wire entanglements had no terrors for them. They swarmed into the Germans' communicating trenches and with bomb and bayonet drove them out not only of the tunnels and other communications but even out of their main trenches.

Already two-thirds of the Labyrinth is in their hands and the outer defenses of Vimy must soon fall.

GREEK KING BETTER

Athens, June 8—"King Constantine now has more than an even chance for recovery; I should say he has seven chances in ten," declared the German specialist, Prof. Roselberg, after the official bulletin on the King's condition had been made public today.

"The King's condition shows slight improvement," said the bulletin. "Pain has ceased. His temperature is 100.6; pulse 120, and respiration 25."

The exact nature of King Constantine's illness is a source of considerable mystery.

DENIES CLEMENCY TO FRANK

Atlanta, Ga., June 9— By a vote of two to one the Georgia prison commission today declined to recommend commutation to life imprisonment of the death sentence pronounced upon Leo M. Frank for the murder of Mary Phagan.

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Important Remnant Sale Thursday

We have arranged a very important remnant sale Thursday which means a saving of real dollars and cents to our patrons. Besides hundreds of yards of good useful remnants and mill ends, there will be many good bargains from the regular stock at special prices.

Four pieces 75c embroidery flouncing, 27 inches wide, slightly soiled. Remnant price yard 39c
8 pieces $1.50 embroidery flouncing, 27 inches wide, slightly soiled, Remnant price yard 75c
5 pieces Corset Cover Embroidery, 15c value remnant price yd. 9c
Twenty pieces all linen cluny lace and insertion 12 1-2c and 15c value. Remnant price yard 10c
Five pieces wide embroidery banding, 35 to 50c value. Remnant price yard 19c
20 and 25c embroidery galloon, slightly soiled. Remnant yd 12 1-2c
500 yards Fancy Wash Braid, 5 to 10c value. Remnant price yd. 3c
Ten pieces White oriental lace 19 to 25c value. Remnant yd. 10c
Three pieces silk, mixed ratine blue, pink and cerise, 50c value Remnant price yard 25c
Four pieces ratine, 25c value. Remnant price yard 12 1-2c
Six pieces dress crepe, 36 inches wide, in plain colors, 15c value. Remnant price yard 10c

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We are authorized to sell that very attractice two story frame dwelling No. 412 S. Fairfax street— 8 rooms, separate bath and toilet rooms, large second story side porch supported by iron columns, summer kitchen, cellar, gas, sewer connections etc., large and beautiful yard and shade trees lot 60 x100 feet, 60 ft. frontage on vetrified street, brick laundry or storage building in rear. This is one of the best built frame dwellings in the city, in splendid condition and the price asked is very reasonable. For full particulars call or phone.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria—Happenings in Society.

Mr. Lewis Hooff, who was recently paralyzed, is critically ill at the Alexandria Hospital.

Mrs. Julia Ashton and Mrs. Lillie Bayliss are visiting in Fredericksburg and King George County.

Mr. O. W. Holland and wife, of Oklahoma, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Stonnelle at their home on Pitt street. Mr. Holland is a brother of Mrs. Stonnelle.

A large number of members of Martha Washington Chapter, No. 42, Order of the Eastern Star, will leave here tonight at 6:20 o'clock for Brookland, D. C., where they will be entertained by the Eastern Star Chapter in that place.

LOCAL BREVITIES

Funeral services for Harry M. Head, who died yesterday morning, will be held tomorrow morning at 9:30 o'clock from St. Mary's Catholic Church.

A baseball game will be played Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock on the north Alfred street grounds, between the First Baptist Sunday School and the Book-keeping Department of the Southern Railway.

The meeting of the Civic Improvement League will be held in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce tonight at 8 o'clock at which time final arrangements will be made for the "clean-up days" which commence tomorrow.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS.

In the Corporation Court today the following deeds were placed on record: Richard McMenamin and wife to James W. McMenamin, house and lot, 1219 Duke; F. A. Bayliss to Judith Toppings, house and lot, 609 Queen; Howard W. Smith and others to Catherine E. Proctor, house and lot, 732 north Washington; Howard W. Smith and others to John S. Allen, lot on the south side of Madison between Washington and Columbus.

Edward Higgins has sold to Annie M Withers a lot on the east side of Columbus street, between Jefferson and Greene.

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Mrs. Annie Scott, 110 Prince St., Alexandria, says: I had pains in my back and I couldn't rest well. In the morning I always felt tired and worn out, and I also had dizzy spells. Doan's Kidney Pills did such good work that it is a pleasure to recommend them to other kidney sufferers. I am the same strong friend to Doans Kidney Pills today as I was some years ago when I told of the cure they had made for me. The cure has been lasting.

Price 50c at all dealers. Dont simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doans Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Scott had. Foster Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

TO HOLD JOINT FIELD DAY

Four Commanderies of Knights Templar to Particpate on Monday, June 28.

Four commanderies of Knight Templars located in northern Virginia, Old Dominion, of this city, Fairfax, of Fairfax Court House, Fredericksburg, of Fredericksburg, and Piedmont, of The Plains, are preparing for a joint field day and conclave to be held here on June 28th, at which will be present a number of distinguished officers of the Grand Commandery of Virginia, including Robert Francis Taylor, of Roanoke, grand commander, Joseph T Houck, of Harrisonburg, deputy grand commander and William Lee Davis, of Portsmouth, grand generalissimo.

The program as arranged by committees of the four commanderies provide for an outing to Mt. Vernon at one o'clock at which time dinner will be served in the Ellis cafe. The return trip will be made to Alexandria leaving Mt. Vernon at 4 o'clock. At 7 p. m. the grand commander will be received in joint conclave by the four commanderies after which Old Dominion Commandery will be inspected by W. W. Field, of Fredericksburg, inspector of district No. 4. The other three commanderies have been invited to join in the inspection.

While the inspection is taking place Martha Washington Chapter, No. 42, Order of the Eastern Star, will give a reception to Mrs. Taylor, wife of the grand commander who is the grand worthy matron of the Grand Chapter of the Eastern Star in Virginia.

After the joint conclave and the meeting of the Eastern Star a joint reception will be tendered the grand commander and the grand worthy matron at which times the members of the commandery and the ladies of the chapter will be presented.

WANT POLICE FORCE.

Alexandria County Would Safeguard Women From Assaults.

Establishment of a county police force to protect girls and women from assaults similar to those that have been perpetrated in the locality during the past few months was urged by a delegation of property holders and citizens yesterday at a meeting of the board of supervisors of Alexandria County, Va.

A majority of the board was of the opinion it had the power to organize such a police force and it confidently is expected that by July 1 the necessary steps will be taken to safeguard the citizens of the county. Several women were in the delegation which appeared before the board. The meeting was held at Alexandria County Courthouse.

IN MEMORIAM.

JAVINS—In sad but loving remembrance of our dear father, ANDREW J. JAVINS, who departed this life three years ago today, June 9th, 1912.

His busy hands are folded,
His work on earth is done,
His troubles are all ended
While his heavenly crown is won.

How sadly have we counted the hours
That measured three sorrowful years,
Since we laid 'neath a mantle of flowers.
Our father we loved so well.

Just three years ago today
When God took our dear father away
He left an empty home and aching hearts for mother too has gone to rest.
Oh how hard it is to part,
But God knows best.
Oh may our dear mother and father be a link in the chain,
Which shall bind us together till we meet them again.

By his loving children.

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SAINT MARY'S ACADEMY

Students Will Render Interesting Program at Commencement This Evening.

The week's commencement exercise at St. Mary's Academy begins this evening at 7:30 o'clock in the assembly hall, when the private pupils in Expression will give a delightful program assisted by members of the music classes, vocal and instrumental.

Tomorrow, at 7:30 p. m. Class Day exercises will be held, and on Friday at 5:15 p. m. the Minim and Junior grades will hold their exercises.

Those attending are requested to enter and leave the building by the Columbus street door.

SUIT FOR DAMAGES.

The allegation that his sight was permanently damaged by the glare of a searchlight forms the basis of a suit for $10,000 damages entered in the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia yesterday by James E. Coghill against the Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Company. Coghill avers she was empolyed as a lookoutman on the steamer Southland and was on deck between4 and 5 o'clock on the morning of November 24, 1913, attending to his duties when the pilot, George Norvell, "committed assault and battery" upon Coghill by flashing the searchlight in Coghill's face. Coghill alleges that he was stunned and blinded and that he stumbled and staggered on the deck, suffering pains in the head and eyes and sustaining permanent injury to his sight.

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Chesapeake City, Md., June 9.—Randolph Borem, aged 71, was seriously injured early yesterday morning on the Wooley farm when he was attacked by a vicious boar which cut him in more than a score of places with its sharp teeth and tossed him about. Borem had gone to the pasture to drive the cows to the barn when he was singled out for the boar's attack. He managed to escape by working his way toward a fence, which, after considerable trouble, he managed to get over. Dr. Clifton C. Laws found it necessary to sew up a number of the deep cuts.

KILLED BY AUTOMOBILE.

Philadelphia, June 9—While Market street was crowded with shoppers and commuters hurrying to the Reading Terminal late yesterday afternoon, a swiftly moving automobile struck a man who had hastily stepped from the Market street sidewalk near Twelfth and hurled him a distance of fully 10 feet. The victim landed squarely on his head, his skull was crushed in and 20 minutes later he died in Jefferson Hospital.

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MR. BRYAN'S RESIGNATION.

The resignation of William Jennings Bryan as Secretary of State late yesterday and its immediate acceptance by President Wilson was a thunderbolt to the great majority of the American people. It came at a time when it was supposed all members of the President's official family were unholding his hands at this critical ordeal in the country's history. Divergence of opinion as to how the United States should conduct its relations with Germany for sinking merchant vessels and drowning non-combattants is the reason assigned for Mr. Bryan's uction. It is unfortunate that such a break should have occurred, but while Mr. Bryan has for a long time been deferred to by the democratic party and his pacific policies may have been in order heretofore, at this juncture the country cannot be governed on Chautauqua theories and dreams. When the dove of peace shall have returned to the world, Mr. Bryan can close the temple of Janus and talk as long as he pleases about the fatherhood of God and the brotherhood of man, but such vaporings are not in order now when there is an apparent intention on the part of Germany to treat with contempt the Stars and Stripes, as she has the flags of other nations. In short, it is well for Mr. Bryan to step aside at this time in order that Mr. Wilson may have members of a cabinet who are in accord with his policies and which are affirmed by the majority of members of all parties.

During the part twenty years Mr. Bryan has been a prominent figure in the United States.

He was born in Salem, Marion county, Ill., March 18, 1860.

He displayed in his early years an aptitude for oratory and he lost no opportunity that presented him with a chance to exercise his vocal attainments.

Mr. Bryan in early manhood became a lawyer, but was not a success from a monetary standpoint and he shone rather in social and political circles than in the courts.

The life of a lawyer did not suit him. His ambition was politics, so he interested himself in the affairs of his community, taking the stump upon issues that affected himself and his neighbors. These oratoriacl campaigns were so successful that the managers of the Democratic party in Nebraska became convinced that a new political star had risen, and in 1890 they gave him the nomination to Congress and he was elected. He succeeded himself in 1892, but declined a third nomination, and subsequently entered the journalistic field.

Up to this time the career of Mr. Bryan had been productive only of those rewards given to many men of ordinary ability and something more than ordinary oratorical brilliancy. In 1896, however, he leaped into the spot light of publicity with a suddenness which made him in a single day one of the most talked of public characters in the United States. His remarkable political metamorphosis hinged upon a speech delivered before the delegates of the Democratic National Convention. This speech was in advocacy of free silver and ended with these two ringing phrases: 'You shall not press down upon the brow of labor this crown of thorns. You shall not crucify mankind upon a cross of gold."

This address won him the Democratic nomination to the presidency in 1896 but he was defeated by William McKinley.

Shortly after this defeat the Spanish-American War broke out and Bryan organized a regiment of volunteers. He became the colonel of the regiment in 1898, resigning this position to campaign against the annexation of the Philippines.

In 1900 Mr. Bryan's popularity again swept all before it at the Democratic National Convention and he was nominated to head the ticket of his party for a second time. Here again, however, he was defeated.

Mr. Bryan's hold upon the people gained through the columns of the Commoner and through his extensive lecture tours, made him the only Democratic candidate who was deemed strong enough to run against Taft in 1908. He accepted the nomination and made a characteristically vigorous campaign only to go down to defeat for the third time.

Baltimore was the scene of the greatest triumph achieved by Mr. Bryan, the nomination of Governor Woodrow Wilson, of New Jersey, for President of the United States, over a combined opposition. Not only was Mr. Bryan the mainspring in naming Governor Wilson as a candidate for president, but he dominated the convention. He elected Senator Ollie James, of Kentucky, permanent chairman of the convention. He succeded in having passed a resolution objecting to the presence of so-called reactionaries in the Democratic party. He framed the platform.

When the convention met Mr. Bryan had not declared his preference as between Governor Wilson and Speaker Champ Clark, but he threw his influence to Governor Wilson at the close of the memorable week in July, 1912, after the convention had struggled for five days in an effort to nominate a candidate.

Mr. Wilson offered him the position of Secretary of State at the formation of his cabinet. A little while ago, it will be remembered, there was some criticism concerning the time he devoted to delivering lectures while holding this important position. He answered his critics by alleging that his salary—$12,000 a year—was not sufficient to meet his expenditures in the office; hence his entry into the lecture field.

NEWS OF THE DAY

Official denial is made in Berlin of reports that Germany and Austria have sent an ultimatum to Roumania.

The condition of King Constantine of Greece has taken a favorable turn, and it is hoped he will be pronounced out of danger within a day or two.

Dr. Dernburg, who has been frequently referred to as the unofficial representative of the Kaiser in the United States, will leave New York Saturday on the steamship Bergensfjord.

A little army of women, a thousand strong, is quietly drilling at Liverpool. It is composed of soldiers' and sailors' wives who are tired of sitting idly at home thinking of their absent husbands. The commanding officer is Miss Phyliss Lovell.

Misses Alice Wrigley and Mary Pearson, prominent young women of Macon, Ga., were killed yesterday when an automobile driven by Miss Pearson was struck by a Central of Georgia Railroad passenger train at a grade crossing ten miles west of Macon.

John F. Greiman, 35, clerk in the Forestry Service, Agricultural Department, Washington, died in Emergency Hospital yesterday, a few minutes after he had shot himself while in Potomac Park. Ill health is ascribed by friends as the reason for his suicide.

In broad daylight and within sight of scores of pedestrians, three highwaymen yesterday held up the cashier and superintendent of the Borden Condensed Milk Company, in New York and robbed them of $8,500, taking $7,500 cash and $1,000 in checks and escaped in an automobile.

Angered because her father rebuked her for not finding work, Miss Frances S. Grove, 20 years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis D. Grove, 2102 Westwood avenue, Northwest Baltimore, committed suicide yesterday afternoon by swallowing carbolic acid. She died in a few minutes in her father's arms.

Hans Halle and George Summers were arrested in New Orleans yesterday on an order by United States Attorney Guion charged with conspiring to ship explosives not properly labelled. The police say that Halle made a statement in which he admitted preparing a huge clock bomb intending it to destroy a French line passenger steamer leaving New York last December.

Representatives of the pulpit, the bar, medicine and other professions and lines of business presented before the Mayor and the Board of Estimates in Baltimore yesterday afternoon vigorous arguments in favor of the enactment of an ordinance legalizing Sunday baseball and kindred sports in Baltimore. Arguments against such an ordinance were advanced by other clergymen and laymen.

The greatest wheat crop the country ever has known is in prospect for the coming harvest. In its forecast, based on the condition of winter wheat and spring wheat on June 1, the federal crop reporting board placed the prospective wheat crop at 950,000,000 bushels, which would exceed last year's record crop by 59,000,000 bushels. With continued good growing conditions the crop might reach a billion bushels.

Charles S. Dove, of Middlebrook, was the first white man to be executed in Montgomery county, Md., for wife beating. Following his conviction in the police court at Rockville yesterday morning on a charge of brutally assaulting his young wife, Ruby Dove, Judge Arthur Mace sentenced him to receive fifteen lashes upon his bare back. The whipping was administered in the jail yard by Sheriff Peyton Whalen.

VIRGINIA NEWS

Seven survivors of the three-masted schooner C. C. Wehrum, which was waterlogged about fifteen miles off the Capes by last week's gale, have reached Norfolk on the revenue cutter Onondaga. The schooner was bound from Charleston, S. C., to New York carrying lumber.

Shot while trying to get whisky Sunday afternoon, Charles L. Vail, of Spencer, Henrico County, is in the Johnston Willis Hospital, in Richmond with his left shoulder shattered. The wound was received near Central Point. Vail had been told where to get liquor and as he walked into the yard of the place he was shot from the house by some one he thinks mistook him for an officer.

Commission government, under the modified plan outlined in a recent act of the Virginia Legislature, was defeated in Bristol yesterday because it failed to receive a majority of the total registered vote. The election was hotly contested on the ground that the act was imperfect and did not provide recall or referendum. The city retains the councilmanic system of government.

Two boys made a gruesome discovery while playing Saturday in Sugar Hollow, in South River District, near Staunton, Augusta County. As they were running down the hollow, they nearly stepped upon the body of a man, later identified as that of Sandy McDaniel, a resident of Crimora. Mr. McDaniel disappeared from his home about a month ago, and all efforts to locate him proved fruitless. It is thought that he dropped dead from heart failure.

Governor Stuart yesterday named the delegates to represent Virginia at the Universal Corn Exposition, which is to be held in San Francisco, Cal., August 5-6. In selecting the delegation the Governor chose the most successful corn growers in the State. The following are from Fairfax county: Carl M. Beard, Vienna; G. Warren Beard, Vienna; Humphrey Fowler, Clifton; Moss Gunnell, Vienna; Barton B. Jones, Fairfax Courthouse.

The fifteenth biennial session of the Supreme Conclave, Improved Order of Heptasophs, convened in Richmond yesterday afternoon. Mayor Ainslie welcomed them. The delegates, accompanied by wives and daughters, number several thousand. One of the features of the session will be a torchlight parade late tonight to be followed by a midnight theatrical performance. The election of officers for the ensuing year will occur today.

Ellis Denny, a Winchester business man, had his right leg severely fractured, and Liveryman Daniel McIllwee and Marion Goss were severely bruised early yesterday morning, when the autoombile in which they were making a trip to West Virginia to inspect horses, skidded on a muddy road near Gore, swerved backward and turned over as it started up an embankment. Denny and Goss were injured by jumping. McIllwee was caught under the car and remained there half an hour before assistance arrived.

For the first time in many years a legal execution will take place at the Virginia penitentiary on a day other than Friday, when Lem Jones, a Norfolk negro, is electrocuted tomorrow morning. Lem Jones, with other negroes, was tried and convicted in the Corporation Court of Norfolk for the murder of Isaac Aleck, a merchant, in his store at midnight last Christmas Eve. One of Jones' accomplices was given the death penalty and the other was sentenced to serve a life term in prison. The latter, however, turned State's evidence, and a modification of the sentence to eighteen years was allowed by the court.

BRYAN AS SECRETARY

Chautauqua Yodeler Junkets Outshone His Statecraft in Great Crisis

Washington, June 9—William Jennings Bryan was Secretary of State just two years, two months and four days to the minute. Like John Sherman in his last days as Secretary of State, Mr. Bryan wore the mantle of the office only. President Wilson and Mr. Bryan's subordinates doing the actual work, particularly the big work.

Chronologically, Mr. Bryan's record as Secretary of State chiefly consists of the following acts:

In less than three weeks after taking the oath he signed a message addressed to Henry Lane Wilson, the then Ambassador to Mexico, congratulating him upon the administration of the duties of his office. The indorsement contained in this now memorable dispatch was contrary to the policy adopted by Wilson soon after taking office and enunciated by him. Huntingdon Wilson, a Republican hold-over Assistant Secretary of State, prepared this telegram and obtained Mr. Bryan's signature. A few days later, Ambassador Wilson's resignation was demanded by Secretary Bryan and it was tendered forthwith.

Within a few days following the Henry Lane Wilson episode, Mr. Bryan inaugurated his Secretary of State-Chautauqua lectures and absented himself from the State Department and the Cabinet councils for a considerable period.

During the summer of 1913, less than six months after taking his oath of office, Mr. Bryan was absent from the State Department more than 40 days, traveling all the time with a troop of Alpine yodelers in one day stands in a Chautauqua circuit. In the fall of 1913, after absenting himself for more than 50 days, Mr. Bryan announced his lectures had netted him thousands of dollars.

The late fall of 1913 saw greater difficulties in Mexico. As was the case early in the beginning of the Secretary's administration, the counsellor for the State Department handled the heavy diplomatic work.

October, 1913 saw Mr. Bryan in the Middle West making campaign speeches.

During the Mexican trouble Mr. Bryan unloaded so much work on his first assistant, Counsellor Moore, that the latter resigned. Mr. Lansing the present counsellor, has been doing the bulk of the important work since Moore quit.

Mr. Bryan did not seem to mind the action of the President in relieving him of the greater part of the important work, as that left Mr. Bryan comparatively free to lecture and negotiate his peace treaties. In this latter effort Mr. Bryan was prominently successful. He negotiated in the last year more than 17 peace and arbitration treaties with as many nations.

Soon after the breaking out of war in Europe the burdens of the State Department increased many times over. The greater part of this increased work fell on the shoulders of subordinates. That part of it appertaining to the policy of the United States President Wilson assumed himself and actually did the important work.

Then came the sinking of the Lusitania. Without conferring with Mr. Bryan or any other member of the Cabinet President Wilson prepared a statement for the German Government defining the position of the American Government regarding the loss of so many American lives and the general submarine policy of Germany.

President Wilson's note submitted after completion to the Cabinet, was sharp in its language.

Secretary Bryan felt keenly the action of the President in not conferring with him before the preparation of the note. He felt even keener the fact that the President failed to follow the Bryan ideas of action in a situation of the character of the Lusitania's destruction. He saw that he stood alone in the Administration in advocating those ideals which called for no action for a whole year after an affront had been committed by a sister nation.

Short of fuel and provisions and with the shipwrecked crew of the three-masted schooner Mary L. Crosby on board, the tug Wellington, which is bound to Philadelphia with a tow of thre barges has been sighted near Cape Hatteras. The Mary L. Crosby is reported to have foundered last Wednesday about fourteen miles southwest of Diamond Shoals. Whether the Wellington came up before the vessel foundered and took off her crew or whether they took to the schooner's lifeboat and managed to keep up until the tug arrived could not be learned.

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LEGAL NOTICES

IN THE CORPORATION COURT FOR THE CITY OF ALEANDRIA, VIRGINIA
Edward L. Santmyer
vs IN CHANCERY
Eva G. Santmyer.

Upon the written application of the complainant duly made and filed together with an affidavit made by the complainant of the defendant's non-residence, the said affidavit stating the last known address of the said defendant as No. 718 Shepherd Street, Northwest, Washington, D. C., and it appearing from the Sergeant's return that the said defendant cannot be found within his bailiwick, nor within the jurisdiction of the State of Virginia, the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, does on this 5th day of May 1915, enter the following order of publication against the defendant.

The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant an absolute divorce from the defendant, on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, and for general relief.

It is ordered that the defendant appear wthin fifteen days after due publication hereof and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit; that a copy of this order of publication be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper printed and published in the city of Alexandria, Virginia; that a copy of said order of publication be posted at the front door of the court house of the said city on or before the next succeeding rule day after this order is entered, and that a copy of the same be mailed tc the last known address of the defendant, at No. 718 Shepherd Street, Northwest Washington, D. C., by the Clerk, by registered mail.

A Copy Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk
Samuel G. Brent, P. Q.

At a corporation court of the city of Alexandria, continued and held at the Court house of said City on Friday, May 14th, 1915.

Present, Hon. Louis C. Barley, Judge.

Morris H. Gill, formerly Morris Guinsburg, vs. IN CHANCERY
Eva Gill, formerly Eva Guinsburg, defendant.

An affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, upon the application of the complainant in writing, stating specifically the last known place of abode of the defendant, the Court on this 14th day of May 1915, doth grant the following order of publication.

The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant an absolute divorce from the defendant upon the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment for a period of more than this suit, it is ordered that the defendant do appear within fifteen days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit, and it is further ordered that a copy of this order of publication be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, Virginia; that a copy be posted at the front door of the court the next succeeding rule day occuring after this order has been entered and that a copy of said order of publication be sent by registered mail by the clerk of this court addressed to the said defendant Eva Gill, formerly Eva Guinsburg, at Portland Oregon, her last known place of abode

A copy teste.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Charles Bendheim, P. Q.

At a Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, continued and held at the Court house of said City on Teusday, May 11th, 1915.

Present Hon. Louis C. Barley Judge.

Lawrence Morris, Complatnant.
vs. IN CHANCERY
Emma Beam Morris, Defendant.

An affidavit having been duly made as required by law, that the defendant is a non resident of the State of Virginia, and that she cannot be found within the jurisdiction of this State, and the Sergeant having made a return upon the original process or summons issued herein that the defendant is a non- resident of his bailiwick, and application having been duly made in writing and in open court for an order of publication against the defendant to appear and answer a bill in Chancery filed by the complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the grounds of wilful desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, and an order of publication having been duly granted in open court it is therefore ordered that said defendant do appear here within 15 days after due publication hereof to answer the suit of complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the grounds of wilful desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, and to do what may be necessary to protect her interests in this suit. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in Alexandria, Va., and that a copy be sent by registered mail by the Clerk of this Court to the last known place of address, residence and abode of defendant, to-wit: 2423 M St., N. W. Washington, D. C. as stated in the application for this order of publication which shall be cretified by the clerk of this court, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the courthouse of this court on or before the next rule day of this court.

Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk
Robinson Moncure, P. Q.

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8:47 A. M. —Daily— Local for Harrisonburg and way stations. Buffet parlor car.

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6:12 P. M.—Local for Warrenton.

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P. M.—12 20, 12 40, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 35, 8 00, 8 30. 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 30, 11 10.

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A. M.—Week Days—5 35, 6 55, 7 55 8 55, 10 30, 11 30,—P. M.—12 30, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 35, 5 35, 6 35, 7 35, 8 52, 10 20, 11 50.
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Washington Southern Ry.
Schedule in effect May 30, 1915
For Washington and points north daily at 6:53, 8:08, 8:33 12:01, 12:16 12:23, 2:30 (through train for New York, via P. R. R.) 6:27, 8:53, 11:33 p. m.

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HOLLAND ALARMED.

Newspapers Urge That Country Join Allies in War on Germany.

The Hague, June 9.—Since the discussion in the German Reichstag of the annexation of Belgium a great change has taken place in the tone of the Dutch press. Public opinion in Holland was most unfavorably impressed by the fact that only members of the extreme left and social democrats protested against the annexation of Belgian territory.

It is recalled that when Belgium was first invaded German statesmen declared that they had no intention of holding Belgium permanently, because, as they said, "Belgium has no value to Germany without certain portions of Dutch territory" The inference was obvious.

Several newspapers do not hesitate to recommend that the Dutch people take action immediately to join the war on the side of the allies.

The point is, in the opinion of the people of Holland, that the sense of right and wrong is perverted in all circles of Germany with the exception of the social democrats. This is what so greatly disturbs Holland.

SUBMARINE WARFARE

Germans Sink Two Norwegian Vessels in the North Sea.

London, June 9—The Belgian steamer Mematier has been sent to the bottom by a German torpedo near the North Foreland. Out of 23 persons on board only 6 were saved. The captain, his wife and his daughter, the first mate and the pilot and twelve members of the crew lost their lives.

The trawler Pentland has been sunk in the North Sea by shellfire from a German submarine. The crew was saved.

The Norwegian vessel Trudvang and Superb have been sunk by German submarines. Another Norwegian steamer the Glittertind, was sunk.

The crew of the Glittertind was landed today in the Tyne. The vessel, with a cargo of lumber, was on her way from Sweden to Hartlepool when she encountered a German submarine. The Germans gave the crew ten minutes to take to the boats before firing a torpedo.

The submarine towed the ship's boats for 30 minutes until a trawler hove in sight.

DROPS BOMB IN VENICE.

An Austrian Flying Machine Bombards City of Canals.

Vienna June 9.—The following official communication was issued yesterday:

"A telegram from our naval command states that naval flying machine L-47, Commander Bonfield and Observer Naval Cadet von Strobel, this morning successfully bombarded Venice and dropped bombs on a balloon shed at Murano (two miles northeast of Venice), and also on an enemy torpedoboat destroyer."

Another official communication tells of the destruction of an Italian airship by an Austrian aeroplane. It says:

"The Italian airship Citta de Ferrara, returning from Fiume this morning, was attacked, set on fire and destroyed by our naval aeroplane L-48, commanded by Lieutenant Glasing and with Naval Cadet von Fritsch as observer. Two officers and five men of the crew were captured."

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Eckman's Alterative has restored to health many sufferers from lung trouble. Read what it did in this case:—

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"Gentlemen:—In January, 1908, I was taken with hemorrhages of the lungs. My physician, a leading practitioner, said that it was lung trouble. I got very weak. C. A. Lippincott, of Lippincott's Department Store, Wilmington, Del., recommended Eckman's Alterative that had done great good. I began taking it at once. I continued faithfully, using no other remedy, and finally noticed the clearing of the lungs. I now have no trouble with my lungs. I firmly believe Eckman's Alterative saved my life." (Abbreviated.)

(Affidavit) JAS. SQUIRES.

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To Marshall Hall, June 9th
Boat leaves Prince St., wharf at 10:30 a. m., and 3 p. m. and 7:00. Tickets may be had from members of the club. Come along with us. Boat will positively stop on all three trips.

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Further Pariculars of
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NOTICE.

There will be a called conclave of Old Dominion Commandery N. 11, K. T., Wednesday evening, June 9th, 1915, at 7:30 o'clock.

Ceremonial—Red Cross.

Uniform—Fatigue.

By Order of Eminent Commander,
WILLIAM H. CHARLES, C:. G.
7-3t. A. G. Uhler, Recorder.

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Choice Table Peaches, can 10c
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Tar Coating

On account of my confinement in the printing office I have for years been a chronic sufferer from indigestion and liver trouble. A few weeks ago I had an attack that was so severe that I was not able to go to the case for two days. Failing to get any relief from any other treatment I took three of Chamberlain's Tablets and the next day I felt like a new man," writes H. C. Bailey, Editor Carolina News, Chapin, S. C. Obtainable everywhere.

WEDNESDAY
RICHMOND THEATRE
The Diamond From The Sky

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of the late John W. Summers, deceased, all persons indebted to the estate are requested to make prompt settlement, and all persons to whom the estate may be indebted are requested to present their claims properly authenticated for settlement.

HARVEY W. SUMMERS,
1-10t. Administrator.

WEDNESDAY
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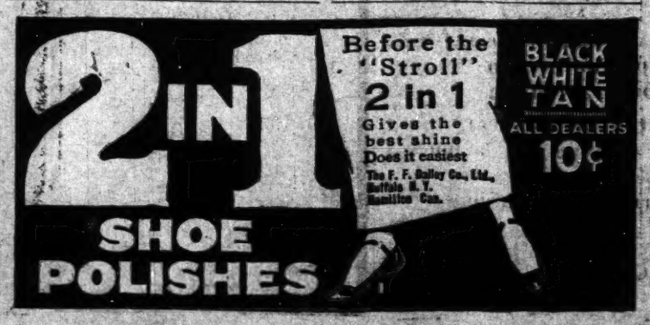

CLASSIFIED ADS.

One Insertion 25c.; two insertions 40c; three insertions 50c.

LOST—Gold Pin with coral setting; from First Presbyterian Church on South Fairfax street, or Franklin St., Sunday night about 9:30. Reward if returned to 918 Franklin street. 7-3t.

LOST—Gold Cuff Cutton. Reward if found and returned to 1006 Prince street. 8-3t.

WANTED—Investor with from $2,500 to $4,000 for building operation in Alexandria. 20 per cent annual dividend assured. Fullest references. Investor, Care Alexandria Gazette. 8-1wk.

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WANTED—At once with private family for few months in Alexandria, a furnished room for young man. Parties interested apply S. C. H. care Alexandria Gazette. 8-3t.

FOR RENT—Nice furnished room. Apply Fairfax Apartment, No. 11.

FOR SALE OR RENT—House and lot on highest location at Barcroft, Va., three minutes walk from W. & O. D., cars. Splendid well water with pump. Will sell, rent or exchange for any kind of city property J. F. MYERS, 309 South Washington Street. 30-tf

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FOR RENT—Brick stable, three stalls, concrete floor. Suitable for garage near northwest corner St. corner King and Payne streets, or Asaph and Princess streets. Apply 411 north Washington street. E. E. Downham. 16-tf.

FOR SALE—3,000 feet of hose at 8 cents per foot, all new goods. Apply to J. Dreifus & Sons, 3 and 4 South Wharfs. 8-1m.

FOR SALE—One Sorrel Horse, sold at reasonable price. Apply to J. Dreifus & Sons, 3 and 4 South Wharfs. 8-1wk.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

Notice is hereby given to all taxpayers who have not listed their personal property and incomes with the Commissioner of Revenue for assessment to do so at once. The Commissioner will make his report to the Examiner of Records and Local Board of Revview not later than the tenth day of this month, and a heavy penalty is provided for all who fail to submit lists duly sworn to before said report is returned.

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OFFICIAL

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the granting by the City Council of Alexandria to the person or persons, firm or corporations, hereafter to be ascertained in the manner prescribed by law, of the right to construct, maintain and operate a general telephone system in the City of Alexandria, and to erect, construct and maintain the necessary poles wires, conduits, cables and fixtures on, over, along, in, under and through the streets, public alleys and other public ways and places in the City of Alexandria, for the aforesaid purpose.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF ALEXANDRIA VIRGINIA:-

SECTION 1—That there shall be granted, in the manner prescribed by Section 1033f of the Code of Virginia of 1904, the rights and privileges on, over, along, in under and through the streets, public alleys and other public ways and places in the City of Alexandria, which are embodied in the following draft of an ordinance.

An ordinance granting to——— its successors or assigns, the right to construct, maintain and operate a general telephone system in the city of Alexandria, and to erect, construct and maintain the necessary poles, wires, conduits, cables and fixtures, on, over, along, in, under and through the streets, public alleys and other public ways and places in the city of Alexandria, for the aforesaid purpose.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Alexandria, Virginia:-

Section 1. That ,its successors or assigns be and it is hereby granted the right to construct maintain and operate a general telephone system in the City of Alexandria, and to erect, construct and maintain the necessary poles, wires, conduits, cables and fixtures, on, over, along, in under and through the streets, public alleys and other public ways and places in the City of Alexandria, for the aforesaid purpose upon the conditions and provisions hereinafter set forth, as well as under those set forth in any ordinance of the City of Alexandria not in conflict with this ordinance.

SECTION 2.—That the location of poles, overhead fixtures, wires and cables, and the location, design and construction of conduits and manholes by virtue of this ordinance shall meet with the approval and be subject to the supervision and direction of the City Engineer and the Committee on Streets, and that the said ,its successors or assigns shall promptly replace and properly relay, of similar construction and similar material, under the supervision of the City Engineer and the Committee on Streets, a sufficient area of any paving to make a complete and workmanlike job of any sidewalk, street or alley that may be necessary by reason of the erection or construction of said poles conduits or manholes or by reason of the abandonment of pole, conduit or manhole location, and shall keep the same in repair for a period of five years and upon the failure of the said its successors or assigns, so to do, after ten days notice in writing from the City Engineer to the said its successors or assigns, the City Council may repair such portion of the sidewalk, street or alley as may be necessary by reason of failure of the said ,its successors or assigns, to perform the above required conditions and hold the said ,its successors or assigns, liable for the cost of such repairs.

SECTION 3.—That the said its successors or assigns, shall have the right to lay an underground conduit with the necessary manholes and appliances, for a distance not in excess of four hundred feet from its central office as now or hereafter located all work in connection therewith to be done under the supervision of the City Engineer and the Committee on Streets.

That the said ,its successors or assigns, shall at any time, or times, after twelve months written notice, commence the work of laying underground conduits with the necessary manholes and appliances.

The total amount of underground conduits which the said ,its successors or assigns, shall be required to lay during the life of this franchise shall not be in excess of seventy-eight hundred feet to be laid in such amounts and at such times as may be ordained by the City Council of Alexandria, provided that the said ,its successors or assigns, shall not be required by said City Council of Alexandria to lay the total amount herein provided for in a less period than three years from the commencement of this franchise.

In event that the City Engineer and the Committee on Streets and the said ,its successors or assigns, cannot agree, in ninety days from the date of the service of the aforesaid notice upon the location of said underground conduits, then and in that event a third person shall be chosen arbitrator by the City Engineer, the Committee on Streets, and the said ,its successors or assigns, whose decision as to the location of said underground conduits shall be final and binding on the City Council of Alexandria and the said ,its successors or assigns

In the event that the City Engineer the Committee on Streets and the said , its successors or assigns, are unable to agree upon an arbitrator within ten days, then and in that event the said arbitrator shall be appointed by the Judge of the Sixteenth Judicial Circuit of the state of Virginia, and his decision as to the location of said conduits shall be final and binding on the City Council of Alexandria and the said its successors or assigns. The compensation of any arbitrator chosen under this section shall be paid by the said its successors or assigns.

SECTION 4—That the schedule of rates for local exchange service now in force at Alexandria, Virginia, by the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company of Virginia shall not be increased during the life of the franchise hereby granted without the consent of the State Corporation Commission of Virginia, or such other body as may have jurisdiction over telephone local exchange rates in the State of Virginia.

And the said , its successors or assigns, agrees to give to the City Council of Alexandria at least ninety days notice in writing of any application to increase local exchange rates, to be made to the State Corporation Commission or to any other body having jurisdiction over telephone local exchange rates in the State of Virginia.

SECTION 5.—That the said its successors or assigns, shall furnish to the City Council of Alexandria twelve telephones, free of charge to be located in such City offices, engine houses, schools or police stations within the corporate limits of the City of Alexandria, as may be designated by the said City Council of Alexandria, or at the Alms House of the City of Alexandria, in the County of Alexandria; the free service shall be for municipal business to all telephones within the area to which local service is furnished to the subscribers of its successors or assigns in the City of Alexandria.

SECTION 6—Said its successors or asigns, shall at all times be subject to the City ordinances now in existence, or which may be hereafter passed relative to the use of its streets, sidewalks, public alleys and other public ways and places, and the said its successors or assigns, agrees by accepting this franchise that the City Council of Alexandria shall retain and reserve all its rights, powers and jurisdiction which it may exercise under its police powers.

SECTION 7—The rights and privileges hereby granted shall continue for twenty-five years, unless sooner forfeited, and unless this franchise is renewed in the manner provided by law, the said ,its successors or assigns, shall upon the termination of the franchise remove its poles wires, conduits and cables from, on, over, along, in, under and through the streets, sidewalks, public alleys and other public ways and places in the City of Alexandria, and shall reunder the supervision of the City place the portion of said streets, side walks, public alleys and other public ways and places occupied by it. Engineer and the Committee on Streets in good condition and of like material, within a reasonable time; or in case of failure so to do the City Council of Alexandria may have the said work done and the expenses there of shall be paid by the said its successors or assigns,.

SECTION 8—That whenever requested by the City Engineer and the Committee on Streets, the said its successors or assigns, shall, within sixty days, furnish an accurate detailed statement of the number and location of its poles, the number of cross arms on each, the number of wires and cables thereto attached, and the location of all its subways, conduits and manholes, the kind size and approximately the tensile strength of supporting or service wires, and the voltage employed, together with such other information in connection with its plant as may be considered necessary by the City Engineer and the Committee on Streets.

SECTION 9.—The said its successors or assigns, agrees and binds itself or themselves to hold the City Council of Alexandria free and harmless from liability, from any and all damages that may accrue to any person or persons, or corporation or corporations, on account of injury or damage to person or property growing out of the construction, improvement, maintenance, repair or operation of the works and fixtures hereby authorized, and whenever the City Council is liable therefor and shall be sued for damage either independently or jointly, with said its successors or assigns, on account thereof, the said , its successors or assigns, upon notice to it or them by the City Council of Alexandria, will defend the City Council of Alexandria in such suit, and in the event of a judgment being obtained against the City Council of Alexandria, either independently or jointly with the said its successors or assigns, on account of acts or omissions of the said its successors or assigns, then the said its successors or assigns, will pay such judgment with all costs and will hold the City Council of Alexandria harmless therefrom.

SECTION 10—That the top gain on the poles erected, or space in the conduits constructed, under the provisions of this ordinance shall be reserved, free of charge, for the purpose of carrying wires of any Fire Alarm or Police Telephone or Police Telegraph System now or hereafter owned maintained or leaed by said City provided the said wires are placed and maintained in such a manner as may be prescribed by the said its successors or assigns, and in no case used to carry electric light or high tension currents.

SECTION 11—The privileges hereby granted are given upon the following further conditions:-

(a) That the said its successors or assigns, will, within six months from the date of approval by the Mayor of the City of Alexandria of the final ordinance granting the privileges herein contained, begin operations under the terms and conditions of this ordinance.

(b) That the said its successors or assigns, shall before commencing operations under the provisions of this ordinance execute a bond with security to be approved by a majority of the Finance Committee of the City Council of Alexandria, in the penal sum of ten thousand dollars, conditioned for the faithful construction and putting into operation, and for the proper maintenance of the plant and works necessary to secure efficiency of public service at reasonable rates, and to protect the City Council of Alexandria from damages arising from suit or otherwise, for which the said its successors or assigns, is or are responsible.

SECTION—2.—That upon the approval of this ordinance by the Mayor of the city of Alexandria, it shall be the duty of the Clerk of the City Council to cause to be advertised once a week for four successive weeks in a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, a draft of the ordinance contained in the foregoing sections, and, in addition he shall in such advertisement invite bids for the franchise, privileges, and rights proposed to be granted in the said ordinance; all costs incurred in the granting of this franchise shall be reimbursed to the City Council of Alexandria by the person or corporation to whom the grant of this franchise is finally made.

The City Council will reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Every bidder will be required to file with his or its bid a certified check for three hundred dollars, payable to the order of the City Treasurer for the use of the City Council of Alexandria, which certified check will be returned to said bidder on the rejection of said bid, or if the bid be accepted and the above franchise awarded him or it, the said certified check will be returned on the delivery to the City Council of Alexandria of the bond mentioned in subsection (b) of Section 11 above, and on payment of the costs mentioned in this section. The bids are to be delivered to the presiding Officer of the Common Council of the City of Alexandria at the day and hour of the next regular session of said Body in open session, to be held next after such advertisement shall be completed which bids by said presiding officer shall be then and there presented to the said City Council, to be dealt with and acted on in the mode prescribed by law.

SECTION 3.—This ordinance shall be in force from and after its passage.

Passed the Common Council, March 9th 1915:

HOWARD W. SMITH President.

Passed the Board of Aldermen, May 11, 1915

HENRY K. FIELD, President.

Teste Daniel R. Stansbury, C. C.

Bids are invited for the franchise privileges and rights proposed to be granted by the above ordinance, which bids are to be in writing and are to be delivered on the 22nd day of June, 1915, at 8 o'clock p. m., to the presiding officer of the Common Council of the City of Alexandria in open session.

The City Council shall be reimbursed for the cost of this advertisement by the person or corporation to whom the grant is finally made, which person or corporation shall pay all costs incurred in the granting of this franchise.

The City Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Every bidder will be required to file with his or its bid a certified check for three hundred dollars, payable to the order of the City Treasurer for the use of the City Council of Alexandria, which certified check will be returned to said bidder on the rejection of said bid, or if the bid be accepted and the above franchise awarded him or it the said certified check will be returned on the delivery to the City Council of Alexandria of the bond mentioned in subsection (b) of Section 11 above, and on the payment of the cost mentioned in Section 2 of the aforesaid ordinance.

Daniel R. Stansbury
Clerk of Common Council

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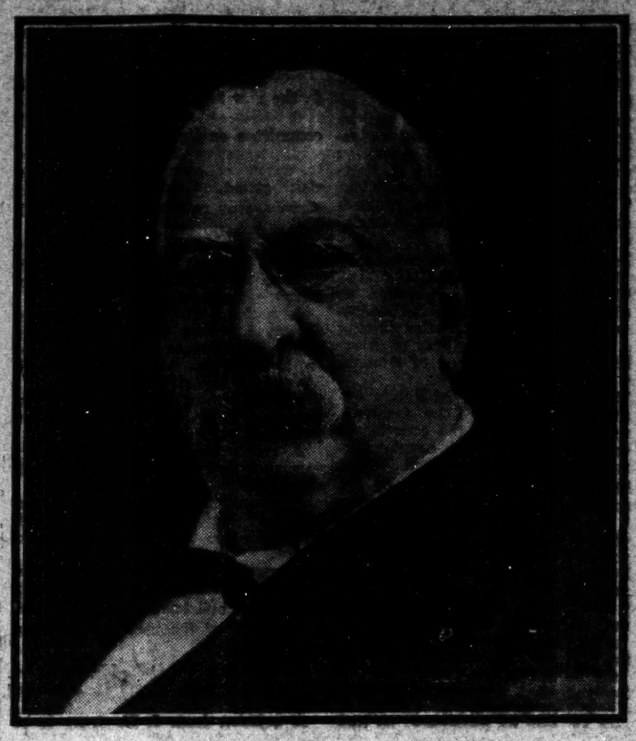

THE LATE COLONEL A. B. ANDREWS.

New York.—The board of directors of Southern Railway Company paid a high tribute to the memory of the late Col. A. B. Andrews, first vice-president and for many years a member of the board, who died at his home in Raleigh, N. C., on April 17, 1915, in the following resolutions:

"In Memoriam, Alexander Boyd Andrews.

"Alexander Boyd Andrews was born in Franklin county, North Carolina, on the 23d day of July, 1841. He tendered his services to the Confederacy in April, 1861, and in June of that year, before he was 20 years of age, was made a second lieutenant in Company E of the First regiment of North Carolina cavalry, Confederate States Army. He served with distinguished gallantry until, in September, 1863, he was shot through the chest and lung by the fragment of a shell at Jack's Shop, near Gordonsville, Va. After recovering from this serious wound he found, when peace was re-established, the whole industrial life of the South prostrate as a result of war and the people among whom he lived confronted with the task of rebuilding their social, and of creating an industrial system on new lines. He became a factor of prime importance in this creative and constructive work. Realizing the necessity for transportation in any plan of reorganization and reconstruction, he entered railroad life. His first service was with the Raleigh and Gaston and with the Raleigh and Augusta railroads, and as their superintendent for eight years he was the principal factor in their rehabilitation after the ravages of war.

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"His efficiency in this work brought him an offer of promotion from the Richmond and Danville Railroad Company, and in 1875 he became superintendent of its North Carolina division. He remained with this and other predecessors of Southern Railway Company and with the Southern itself uninterruptedly until his death, a period of forty years. Beginning with the office of superintendent, he worked his way up through various intermediate grades until he became first vice-president and a director of this company, which position he held at the time of his death and had held for many years.

"His active railroad work had thus extended over a period little short of half a century.

"During that time the principal construction and organization work of the railroads of the South has been done, and the industrial life of the South itself has been reorganized and rebuilt. In this accomplishment Colonel Andrews was a vital force. Possessing a strong and dominating personality, virile and commanding in character and intellect, he threw himself into his great work with irresistible will and purpose. His achievements, which were many, richly entitle him to a place among the great constructive forces of his State and section.

Completed Western Road.

"Among these achievements was the completion of the Western North Carolina railroad, from Old Fort, over the mountains, through Asheville, to Paint Rock, and its branches. Thus through his efforts was opened up the great industrial section of western North Carolina. Population and development and industries followed his pioneer act, and every person in that rich and inviting territory is now, and their descendants through all the coming years will be, enjoying the conveniences, the opportunities and the blessings made possible by this great piece of constructive work. The Western North Carolina Railroad will remain a monument to the useful and honorable achievements of Colonel Andrews, who was its builder.

"His life was not an easy one, for it was his lot to encounter and overcome great difficulties. His activity, his positive and purposeful character and his touch with great things brought him into sharp conflicts with important forces. In the midst of them all he bore himself with a courage and virility which commanded universal respect and enabled him to crown his efforts with notable success. In every trust and in every relation of life he was loyal and faithful and true.

On the Personal Side.

"On his personal side he was a man of compelling and attractive personality and was greatly honored and beloved. He married in 1869 Miss Julia M. Johnston, daughter of Col. William Johnston, of Charlotte, N. C., who was president of the Charlotte, Columbia and Augusta Railroad Company. With her as his helpmate he built up an exceptionally happy and beautiful home life, which he distinguished by the most cordial and liberal hospitality.

"He was a devoted husband and father and followed his children, even after they were grown, with undiminished parental tenderness and solicitude.

"He took a deep interest in the welfare of Confederate veterans and in the establishment and maintenance for them of the Confederate Soldiers' home in Raleigh.

"Although himself deprived of the benefits of a college education, he was an earnest friend and supporter of the University of North Carolina, being for many years a member of its board of trustees and of its executive committee.

"He came to realize the value of a religious life and connected himself as a communicant with the Protestant Episcopal church, being an active and zealous member of the Church of the Good Shepherd of Raleigh, for which in the latter years of his life his munificence helped to provide a new and stately place of worship.

Devoted to Native State.

"He was devoted in his attachment to the state of North Carolina. No exigency of business or of personal interest was strong enough to persuade him to make his home elsewhere. He believed in the sturdiness, the sense of justice and the patriotism of its people, and if at any time they, in his judgment, erred, his faith in the ultimate triumph of their sense of right was unwavering and supreme. He was always willing to leave his name and fame in their keeping, in the confidence that their ultimate judgment would correctly appraise and appreciate his purposes and his work.

"His death has brought universal sorrow and regret wherever he was known, but especially in the South, where his life was spent and his work most largely done.

"The secretary is directed to express to the surviving members of Colonel Andrews' family the respectful sympathy of this board and to transmit to them a suitably engrossed and attested transcript of this minute."

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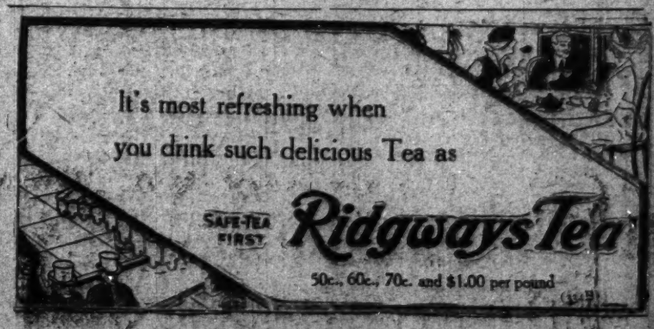

OFFICIAL

Board of Aldermen

At a regular meeting of the Board of Aldermen of the city of Alexandria, Va., held June 8, 1915, there were present:

Henry K. Field, esq., President, and Messrs. Hill, Brill, Robinson, Ballenger, Wilkins and Summers.

Resolutions, introduced by Mr. Summers, instructing the City Engineer to make an estimate of the cost of improving Duke street from the Stone Bridge to the corporation limits, and of King street from the union depot to the corporation limits, were adopted.

A preamble and resolution, introduced by Mr. Summers, appropriating $8,000 for the purchase of a modern triple combination engine, pumping engine and hose motor car, were referred to the Committees on Fire and Finance.

A petition of J. Matthews for permission to erect two frame house in Braddock Alley, in the square bounded by Cameron, Queen, Henry and Fayette streets, was referred to the Committe on Streets.

A petition of J. H. Crilly concerning the condition of the alley south of his store, on north Lee street, was referred to the Committee on Streets'.

An ordinance for imposing and collecting licenses within the city of Alexandria, Va., for the year commencing on the 1st day of June 1915, was received from the Common Council, read the second time and laid over, as was also the appropriation bill for the fiscal year commencing June 1, 1915, and ending May 31, 1916.

A resolution appropriating $2,100 for improving Queen street from Columbus to Henry street and other such gravel streets, and a petition of the Alxandria Garage Company for permission to place a gasoline tank in front of their premises on Fairfax street, between King and Prince, were laid over.

The following were received from the Common Council and their action concurred in:

Resolution appropriating $75 to repair and paint old trash boxes and to replace ten with new receptacles

Petition of Beach and Bro. for permission to build a fence at the southeast corner of Royal and Princess St.

Resolution requesting Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons to officiate at the laying of the cornerstone of the new high school building.

Resolution appropriating $450 for the construction of a sewer on Patrick street, between Oronoco and Pendleton.

Communication from the Auditor of Public Accounts concerning the salary of the Judge of the Corporation Court.

Communication from Thomas A. Fisher, Mayor, enclosing a letter from W. D. Duke, assistant to the President of the R., F. & P. R. R. in regard to electric lights on upper King street.

Petition of Miss Mary Williamson for permission to erect a garage at 715 Princess street.

Petition of the Alexandria County Lighting Company for permission to construct a pump from their works to the Potomac river.

Resolution requesting the Alexandria Water Company to advise Council what arrangements have been made to furnish fire protection in the recently annexed district.

Preamble and resolution requesting the Committee on Finance and General Laws to consult counsel concerning the payment of taxes by persons residing in territory recently annexed to the city.

The board then adjourned.

HENRY K. FIELD, President.

Teste: Luther H. Thompson, Clerk.

Common Council

At a regular meeting of the Common Council of the city of Alexandria, Va., held June 8, 1915, there were present:

Howard W. Smith, Esq., President, and Messrs. Marbury, H. R. Burke, Leadbeater, C. S. T. Burke, Brumback Wattles, Desmond, Bales, Pohl, Brockett, Lawler and Bryan.

Mr A. J. Pohl was introduced and took the required oath of office as a member of Council from the Third Ward. The President assigned him on the committees of Light and Police.

An act to appropriate a part of the city revenue for the fiscal year ending May 31, 1916 was recommended by the Committee on Finance and read the second and third times and passed. Ayes Messrs. Marbury H. R. Burke, C. S. T. Burke, Pohl, Brumback, Wattles, Desmond, Bales, Brockett, Lawler, Bryan, and Mr President. (12). Noes None.

An ordinance requiring licenses, imposing taxes thereon, and for collecting said taxes within the city of Alexandria, Virginia for the year commencing on the first day of June 1915, and ending on the 31st, day of May 1916, was recommended by the committee on Finance, and read the second time. Article No. 76 1-2 was amended to read the same as last year's ordinance. Articles No. 99 and 100 relating to automobiles and trucks upon motion of Mr. Lawler was struck out. The ordinance as amended was read the third time and passed. Ayes Messrs. Marbury, H. R. Burke, Leadbeater, C. S. T. Burke, Brumback, Wattles, Desmond, Bales, Pohl Brockett, Lawler, Bryan and Mr President (13), Noes 0.

A resolution appropriating $2100 to construct bituminous roadway on Queen St., Columbus to Henry St., and such other gravelled streets as may be selected by the committee on Streets for the maintenance of bituminous surfaced streets was recommended by the joint committee on streets and finance and passed. Ayes Messrs. Marbury, H. R. Burke, Leadbeater, Brumback, Wattles, Desmond, Bales, Pohl, Brockett, Bryan, Lawler and Mr. President (12) Noes 0.

A resolution appropriating $75.00 to repair and paint old trash boxes and replace ten new ones was recommended by the joint committee on finance and streets and passed. Ayes 12. Noes 0.

A report of the committee on streets granting permission to the Alexandria Garage Company to install a gasoline tank and pump on the curbing in front of 114 S. Fairfax street under certain conditions and in accordance with the requirements of the Underwriters Association was adopted.

The following resolution offered by Mr Brumback was adopted:

Whereas, There is a question as to whether the taxes from the recently annexed teritory for the coming year are payable to the city of Alexandria or to the counties of Alexandria and Fairfax; and

Whereas the Auditor of Public Accounts has instructed the Commissioners of Revenue of the counties to assess said property for county taxes for the coming year; and

Whereas from the reading of the annexation statute, it would appear that the city of Alexandria is unquestionably entitled to assess and collect said taxes; therefore, be it

Resolved, that the committees on Finance and General Laws be and they are hereby directed to consult counsel at once as to the advisability of testing said question and report to the next regular meeting of Council; and be it further

Resolved, that the sum of twenty-five ($25.00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and the same is hereby appropriated for the purpose of defraying the legal expenses of said opinion.

The following resolution offered by the President was adopted:

Resolved, That the Alexandria Water Company be and they are hereby requested to advise Council at its next regular meeting to be held on the 22nd day of June, 1915, what arrangements, if any, have been made or are being made, for furnishing water for fire protection and for the use of citizens in the recently annexed territory, and particularly in reference to that portion of the annexed territory which is above the Alexandria Water Company's reservoir; and be it further

Resolved, that the clerk of the Common Council be directed to deliver a copy of this resolution to the Secretary of the Alexandria Water Company in person.

Permission was granted H. R. Beach and Bro. to erect fence at the southeast corner of Royal and Princess Streets.

A resolution inviting Alexandria Washington Lodge No. 22 to officiate at the laying of the corner stone of the New High School building was passed.

Official notices from the Auditor of Public accounts was received and referred to the committee on Finance.

A communication from Hon. Thomas A. Fisher Mayor, enclosing letter from Richmond Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad Company in reference to upper King street lights in the new territory recently annexed was received and referrred to the committee on light.

A resolution appropriating $450 to construct pipe sewer, with Patrick street, Oronoco to Pndelton streets, was referred to the committee on streets and Finance.

A petition from Miss M. E. Williamson to erect Garage at 715 Princess street was referred to the committee on streets.

A petition from the Alexandria County Lighting Company to install pump and pipe to river as indicated on blue prints, was referred to the committee on streets.

The following was received from the Board of Aldermen and their action concurred in:

A resolution, City Engineer, to furnish estimate Duke street from the stone bridge to new city limits.

A resolution, City Engineer to furnish estimates, King street, from the Union Station to the new corporation limits.

A resolution to purchase a triple combination chemical engine, a pumping engine and hose motor, for the protection of the recently annexed territory.

A petition from J. Matthews to erect two frame houses in Braddock alley.

A petition from J. H. Crilly to repair alley south of No. 216 N. Lee Street.

The board then adjourned.

HOWARD W. SMITH,
President.

Teste Daniel R. Stansbury, C. C

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